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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 1755  
Applicant : Kimihiro Yamashita  
Appln. No. : 09/533,150  
Filing Date : March 23, 2000  
Confirm. No. : 1126  
For : METHOD FOR CONTROLLING ORGANISMS AND MATERIAL THEREFOR, METHOD FOR SELECTIVE ADSORPTION OF PROTEINS AND MATERIAL THEREFOR, CEMENT MATERIAL AND BIOMATERIAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

A check of our files indicates that the above-identified application has been filed more than fourteen (14) months without having received an Office Action. Therefore, please advise us of the status of this application. This request is made to avoid any lack of diligence being attributed to the Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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